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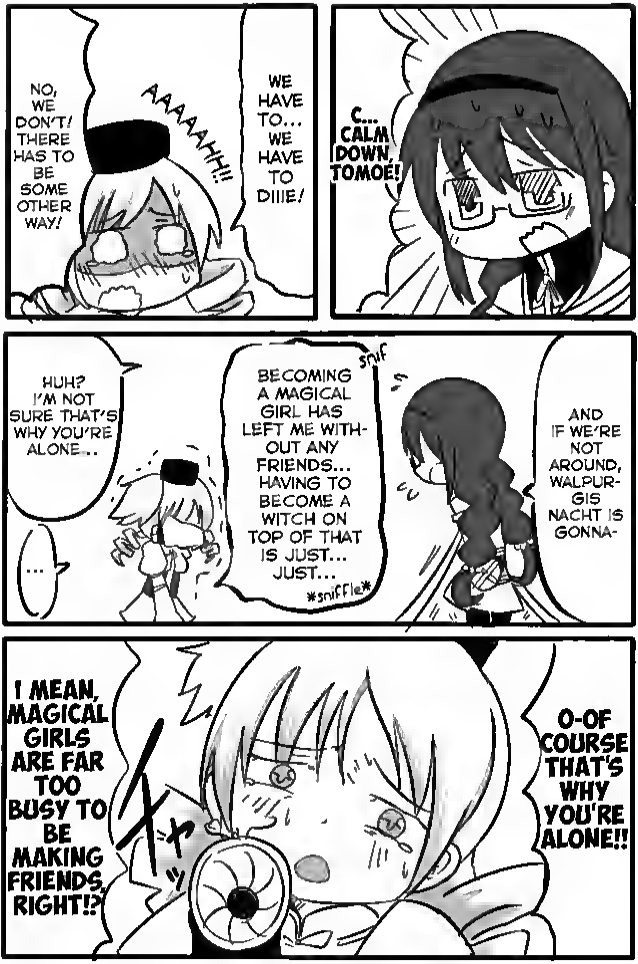
TOMOE!?
...
IF SOUL GEMS GIVE BIRTH TO WITCHES
THEN DON'T WE ALL HAVE TO DIE!?
EVEN THE TWO OF US BOTH!


C... CALM DOWN, TOMOE!
WE HAVE TO... WE HAVE TO DIIIE!
AAAAAHH!!
NO, WE DON'T! THERE HAS TO BE SOME OTHER WAY!
AND IF WE'RE NOT AROUND, WALPURGIS NACHT IS GONNA-
sniff
BECOMING A MAGICAL GIRL HAS LEFT ME WITHOUT ANY FRIENDS... HAVING TO BECOME A WITCH ON TOP OF THAT IS JUST... JUST...
sniffle
HUH? I'M NOT SURE THAT'S WHY YOU'RE ALONE...
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O-OF COURSE THAT'S WHY YOU'RE ALONE!!
I MEAN, MAGICAL GIRLS ARE FAR TOO BUSY TO BE MAKING FRIENDS, RIGHT!?
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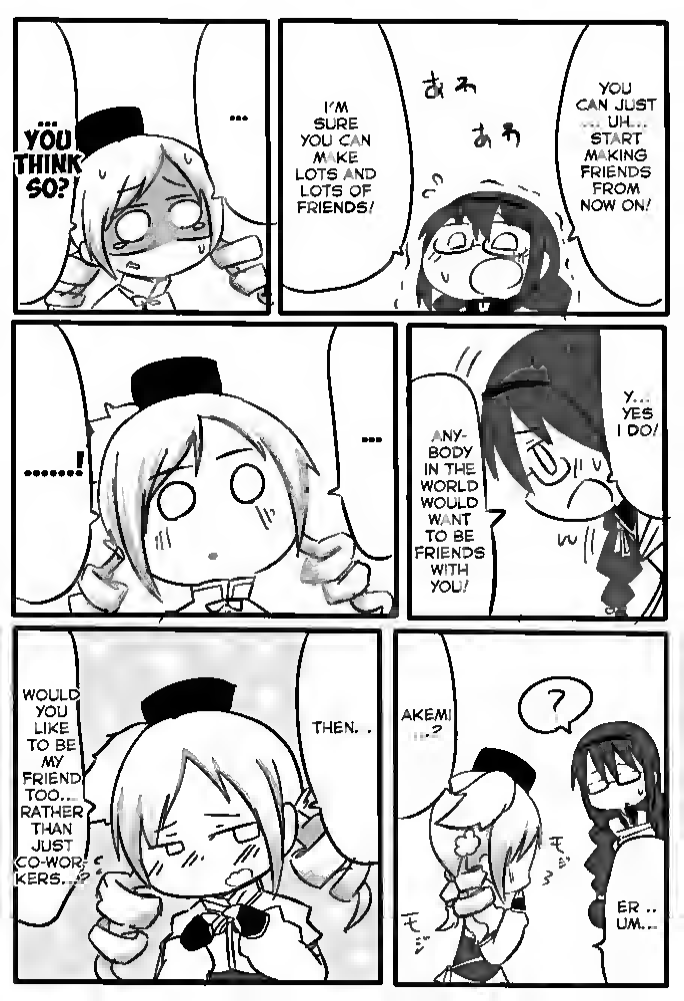
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YOU THINK SO?
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I'M SURE YOU CAN MAKE LOTS AND LOTS OF FRIENDS!
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YOU CAN JUST ... UH... START MAKING FRIENDS FROM NOW ON!
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ANY-BODY IN THE WORLD WOULD WANT TO BE FRIENDS WITH YOU!
Y... YES I DO!
WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE MY FRIEND TOO... RATHER THAN JUST CO-WORKERS...?
THEN. .
AKEMI ...?
?
ER .. UM...

UH...
S-SURE I WOULD!
WE CAN BE FRIENDS! IN FACT, WE'VE ALREADY BEEN FRIENDS FOR SO LONG!
.. ARE YOU MY CLOSEST FRIEND?
C... CLOSEST!?
Y... YES WE ARE! NO ONE CAN DENY THAT!
YOU'RE SO RIGHT, AKEMI! WE ARE FRIENDS!

Y-YOUR CLOSEST! AND YOU'RE MY CLOSEST TOO!
MY CLOSEST!?
KANAME!?
HOMURA...
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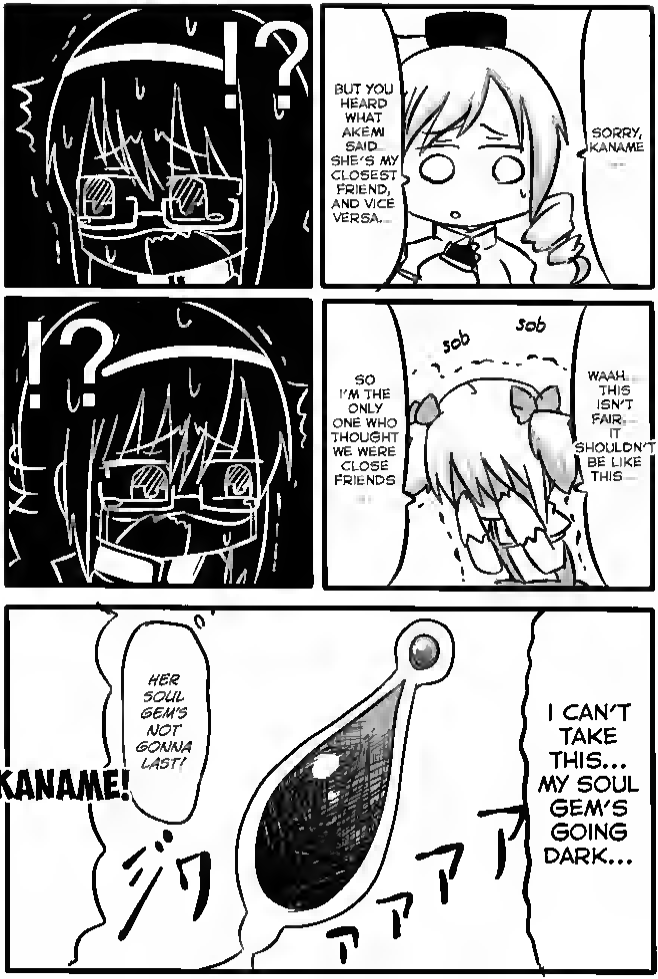
I'M SAFE...
AKEMI!!
KA-KANAME
I'D ALWAYS THOUGHT YOU WERE MY BEST FRIEND...
DO YOU... REALLY MEAN THAT, HOMURA...?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BUT YOU HEARD WHAT AKEMI SAID... SHE'S MY CLOSEST FRIEND, AND VICE VERSA...
SORRY, KANAME...
!?
SO I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO THOUGHT WE WERE CLOSE FRIENDS
sob
sob
WAAH... THIS ISN'T FAIR... IT SHOULDN'T BE LIKE THIS...
KANAME!
HER SOUL GEM'S NOT GONNA LAST!
I CAN'T TAKE THIS... MY SOUL GEM'S GOING DARK...
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HOMURA!
AKEMI!
THE MOST PRECIOUS FRIEND I'VE EVER HAD, AND EVER WILL HAVE!
YOU ARE MY MOST PRECIOUS FRIEND!
WASN'T THAT THE TRUTH?
YOU WEREN'T LYING TO ME, WERE YOU?
UM... ER...
WERE YOU LYING TO ME BACK THEN!?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN!?
UH...
WHICH IS IT, AKEMI!?
WHICH IS IT, HOMURA!?

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T...
WHY CAN I SEE MIKI HERE..? I MUST BE ABOUT TO JOIN HER..
You've done more than enough, Homura
IT'S JUST LIKE ONE OF THOSE SOAP OPERAS.. THIS IS THE END FOR ME..
Don't you think you deserve a break?
AND KANAME IS MY VERY BEST FRIEND.
OR SOMETHING.
AND HELLO, UNDERWORLD
GOODBYE, WORLD.
TOMOE IS MY CLOSEST FRIEND,

WHAT IN THE WORLD'S GOING ON HERE...
Come on, don't cry
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MY VERY BEST FRIEND!
WHA?
WHAA!?
MY CLOSEST FRIEND!
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